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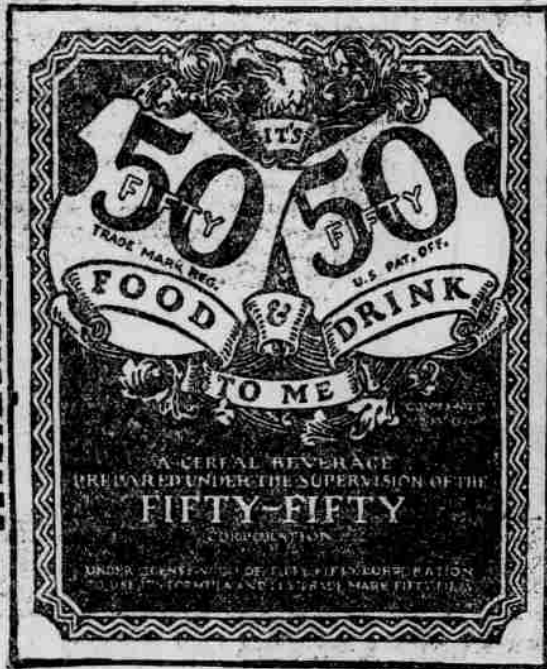
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CENTRAL VILLAGE

Charles H. Walker has returned to his home in Southington, L. I., having been called here by the death of a relative, Mrs. George R. Torres.

Miss Helen W. Tillinghast, youngest daughter of Frank H. Tillinghast, has been seriously ill with peritonitis but is comfortable.

Mrs. George Baker of Putnam has been visiting local relatives. Kenneth Wetherbee of Worcester has been the guest of friends here.

A physician from Fall River has been called here in consultation with the local doctor at the home of Miss Helen Tillinghast. A graduate nurse, Miss Berne, is caring for Miss Tillinghast.

Conrad Salvas has had a very painful foot, the result of stepping on an iron rake while barefooted.

Miss Louise Elliott has been visiting relatives in Westerly, R. I.

Miss Lillian Stetson of Norwich has been at the home of her brother, Mortimer Stetson.

Mrs. James Noble of Putnam spent Sunday with her daughter, Miss Annie Noble.

Foster Burgess was in Boston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dean have been in Westerly, R. I.

Raymond Kider was in Boston Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Lydia Bennett has been entertaining relatives from Hartford.

Mrs. Willis Hill and infant daughter, Audrey, have returned from the Backus hospital, Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winger and son John spent Sunday with relatives in Taftville.

Mrs. Russell Porter of Hethon has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Dean, and attended the class day exercises. Her daughter, Miss Margaret Porter, was one of the graduates.

John E. Vaughn of Norwich was a visitor here Sunday.

William Nye has gone to Westerly, R. I., for an indefinite stay at the home of his mother.

John Fletcher visited Sunday in Putnam with his son, Charles Fletcher.

Courtland Arnold of Putnam has been a visitor here, where he formerly lived.

Joseph Geer has returned from overseas, where he has been for several months.

Miss Odna Seguin of Providence visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Seguin, Saturday and Sunday.

Charles Reid, who has been employed in a government hospital near Boston, has returned to his home. He was the postmaster here when he entered the service.

Relatives from Putnam spent Sunday at Amos Salvas.

The twin son of Daniel Stringer is ill.

Joseph Eaton has been a visitor in Williamstown.

Harold Trainor is employed in Harrisville, R. I.

EAST THOMPSON

As ex-representative Charles Clark and family were returning home from East Thompson Saturday, they met with an accident. While going down the hill near the station the car tank was coming up the hill, clipping the street.

As they passed the tank they met another automobile and in turning on to the oil the car slewed and struck the fence, breaking a post. The front of the car was badly damaged, but they were able to get home with it. No one was injured.

When this car stopped the front wheel next the fence was over the bank, free from the ground, the front of the car resting on the fencepost.

Sunday noon at the Methodist parsonage Louisa Lillian Miller and Sergt. Albert Dansereau were united in marriage by the bride's father, Rev. J. R. Miller, the ceremony was performed under an arch of laurel, the background being hemlock and laurel. The rooms were decorated with roses and peonies, the colors being pink and white. The decorations were by Emma Johnson.

The stair rail was adorned with hemlock and pink and white roses. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Charles Clark of Eastford, sister of the bride. The couple were unattended and only near relatives and a few intimate friends were present.

The bride's gown was of crepe de chine. She wore a white veil and carried a bouquet of bride-roses. After the service a dinner was served. Among the gifts received was a china closet, made and presented by the bride's father, Rev. J. R. Miller, a set of gilt-edged china, and a sum of money from the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dansereau. Mr. and Mrs. Dansereau went away for a short honeymoon trip and on their return will live with Mr. Dansereau's parents in Sturbridge, Mass., for the summer and in the fall will go to homekeeping in Southbridge, where Mr. Dansereau is employed as a machinist. He has recently returned from France, where he served in the army 18 months and gained the rank of sergeant.

Children's day was observed by a concert in the evening which was well attended. The church was decorated by Mrs. Emma Johnson and Hattie Benson. Following was the program: Song, Ring Ye Bells, choir; responsive

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Charles L. Stanton, former army aviator, who has been connected with the Aerial Mail Service, has been appointed Eastern superintendent of the Aerial Mail Service. He has charge of the flying field at College Park, Md., the Washington air mail station; Busleton Field, Philadelphia air mail station; Belmont Park, L. I., the New York station and Lehigh and Bellevue, Pa., both of which are on the New York-Chicago route.

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You boast of your power, you poor puny man,
Who build a few bridges and burn them again.
You boast of your prowess, your progress and force,
Which are but God's workings—mere matters of course—
While I, who know not of a power divine,
Have conquered the strongest among you with mine.

You're proud of your wit and your wisdom, poor fool,
In my hands you're all but the saltiest fool.
I pray on your selfishness, ego and pride,
I know all your weaknesses, each I have tried;
It matters no whit how courageous you be,
I soon have you cringing like curs before me,
And since I have marked you, upon me you depend—
I may spare you awhile, but you're mine in the end.

I flatter you gently, you fall for it, too—
I tell you the world can't appreciate you;
I swear it is only a chance that you lack,
And I follow it up with a slap on the back.
I pick out your weakness and work upon this,
Till I make you believe you just can't go amiss.
If you will, but follow my leadings, and so,
I soon have you with me wherever I go.

And then, when the world turns against you, I say,
It owes you a living—it's yours, any way.
If you will, but take it—bid honor adieu,
Get rich, and the world will soon fawn upon you;
Go, rob, steal and plunder, fear nothing, be bold,
There's only one thing in the world—that is gold—
You need it, must have it, and can if you will,
But pause not, nor falter, e'en though you must kill.

And thus, having won you, when conscience has fled,
A prison or gutter I give you for bed;
Aye, even as your progress and power you boast,
I lurk in the wine that you drink as a host.
Poor fools that you are, with your fast fleeting breath,
How long ere you'll know I am ruin and death!

reading, superintendent; prayer, pastor; song, choir; A True Soldier, Fred Benson; Children's Day, Ethel Parks; Secrets, Mildred Barber; Turning the Tables, Walter Dudley; song, choir; A Rose Sermon, Annie Benson; Over the Top, three boys; A Quaker Little Doll, Gladys Barber; song, choir; Flowers, Ethel Parks, Gladys Barber; A Living Flag, Flora Joslin; song, choir; Show Your Colors, Elmer Joslin; Children's Day, Virginia Squibbs; Household, Pats, Mildred Barber; song, choir; The Sunflowers and the Rose, Ethel Parks; In the Dark, Gladys Barber; Little Charms, Mildred Barber; song, choir; remonstrance; collection; song, choir; benediction.

Mrs. Abbie Buell of Petersham, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Miller, and celebrated her 75th birthday Saturday, the 21st, on the day of the wedding of her granddaughter, Miss Louisa Miller. She made the wedding cake. She received a shower of postcards and roses which she greatly enjoyed.

New Britain.—The New Britain General hospital staff has organized with Dr. Henry T. Bray, president; Dr. George W. Dunn, vice-president; Dr. C. M. Cooley, secretary.

COLUMBIA

A spirited game of ball was played Saturday on the Columbia diamond between a Williamstown team and the local team, resulting in a score of 9 to 1 in favor of the home team, which was 15-0 score of the previous week with the same team.

Randall Porter arrived home last Wednesday from Wesleyan university for the summer vacation and Harriet Porter arrived at the same time from the Walnut Hill school at Natick, Mass., where she has been a teacher during the past year.

Mrs. Ann Holbrook, who was 98 years old last January, and is the oldest woman in town, has been seriously sick during the past week, having a falling spell during the extreme hot weather. She is somewhat better, but for some time her faculties have been impaired.

Robert F. Raymond Hunt and family have arrived from Emporia, Kan. Mrs. Hunt will spend a portion of the summer with her parents in New London.

and Mrs. Alexander Roberts and son Perry of Tenafly, N. J., and Miss Mumford of Lexington, Mass., a friend of the family, spent the week end in town, occupying one of Mr. Brown's

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bungalows at the Lake. They left for home Tuesday, making the trip by automobile.

Mrs. Fred A. Hunt and Mrs. F. Raymond Hunt and children went to New London Tuesday and will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Holmes.

There is a project for the town to procure a tablet in memory of the soldiers, sailors and marines in the town of Columbia who served in the world war.

LIBERTY HILL

O. W. Gurley entertained his step-mother, Mrs. Albert Gurley, of Williamstown, Tuesday.

Henry V. Gehlers of New York city was at home from Friday until Monday.

EAST HADDAM

Harry Powers has taken his family, who have been spending some time at William Bartman's, to Essex, where they will begin keeping house.

Mrs. John Carpenter of Williamstown is making her annual visit at her former home here. Mr. Carpenter was here for the week end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fuller was a business caller in Middletown Wednesday. Joseph Wollman fell from a tree last Friday and broke his wrist. Dr. J. B. Crook reduced the fracture.

Mrs. Edward E. Smith was called to New York last week by the illness of

her sister and mother. Mrs. Price accompanied her daughter home and it is hoped that the change will prove beneficial.

The school in this district closed on Friday with a picnic in the grove opposite W. J. Tracy's residence. It was well attended and thoroughly enjoyed by the pupils.

Miss E. Louise Carroll closed her school Friday and the day following left for Boston to spend a week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Smith were at Deep River Thursday evening attending the graduating exercises of the Deep River High school, from which

their son Rogers was graduated this year. Saturday the graduating class went to Westbrook to enjoy the sea breeze for a week at West Beach.

School in the First district, Mrs. Hattie Gillette, teacher, closed Friday with a picnic. At the close of the program of essays, recitations and singing a lunch of sandwiches, cake in great variety and abundance, ice cream and fruit was served. A large number was present.

Collinsville.—Thomas Homan, a farmer of Harwinton, was tried before Justice C. A. Farnham and found guilty of watering milk.

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